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E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: MARR KS US
SUBJ: UNC REAR

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1. UK EMBASSY HAS INFORMED US THAT UK HIGH COMMISSION IN CANBERRA HAS BEEN TOLD AISTRALIAN GOVERNMENT IS NOT CONSIDERING ASSIGNMENT OF PERSONNEL TO UNC REAR. HICOM FURTHER STATES THERE HAS BEEN NO FORMAL APPROACH TO GOA ON THIS SUBJECT FROM US SIDE. UK EMBASSY ADDS THAT IN THEIR VIEW LONDON NOT RPT NOT PREPARED TO COMMIT TO ANY UK PERSONNEL ASSIGNMENT PAST JULY NEXT YEAR UNDER PRESENT CIRCUMSTANCES.

2. SINCE UK EMBASSY HAS RAISED THIS SUBJECT SEVERAL TIMES IN PAST FEW MONTHS, WE BELIEVE THAT, IF US IS NOT PREPARED TO PUT A REQUEST TO THE AUSTRALIAN GOVERNMENT ON THE SUBJECT, THE UK WILL CONCLUDE US NOT
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INTERESTED IN THE SUBJECT AND IS PREPARED TO LET UN SOFA IN JAPAN LAPSE.

3. WOULD APPRECIATE CURRENT WASHINGTON THINKING ON THIS MATTER, ENDING OF UN SOFA IN JAPAN WILL HAVE ADVERSE IMPACT IN KOREA AND WE SHOULD DO SOME PREPARATION FOR SUCH AN EVENT IF IT APPEARS LIKELY

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